

**THE HONORABLE LYNN LEIBOVITZ
ASSOCIATE JUDGE
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

Judge Lynn Leibovitz was appointed to the Superior Court of the District of Columbia in 2001 by President George W. Bush.

Judge Leibovitz has lived in the District of Columbia since 1982. She was born in New York City. Judge Leibovitz received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Religious Studies and American Civilization from Brown University in 1981 and her law degree from Georgetown University Law Center in 1985.

Following law school, Judge Leibovitz served as a law clerk to Judge Robert I. Richter of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia. In 1986, Judge Leibovitz joined the Enforcement Division of the United States Securities and Exchange Commission where she investigated violations of the United States Securities laws. In 1990, Judge Leibovitz joined the Office of the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia. During her eleven-year tenure there, she served in the Office's Appellate Division, Misdemeanor Trial, Felony Trial, and Grand Jury Sections of the Superior Court Division and the federal Narcotics Section of the Criminal Division, before joining the Homicide Section in 1995. In 1998, Judge Leibovitz was appointed to serve as the Office's Training Director. In 2000, she was appointed Deputy Chief of the Homicide Section, and in April 2001, became the Acting Chief of that section, a position she held until her appointment to the bench.

While an Assistant United States Attorney, Judge Leibovitz was named an *ex officio* member of the Mayor's Child Fatality Review Committee, and the Mayor's Serious Incident and Fatality Review Committee. She served as a volunteer with Jubilee Housing of Greater Washington, facilitating solutions to neighborhood safety concerns.

Since 1997, Judge Leibovitz has served as an adjunct professor of Trial Advocacy at the Georgetown University Law Center.

Since her appointment to the bench in 2001, Judge Leibovitz has presided in cases in the Family Court, the Domestic Violence Unit and the Criminal Division of the Superior Court. Judge Leibovitz serves as a member of the Court's Judicial Education, and CJA Training and Education Committees. Judge Leibovitz participates regularly as an instructor in continuing legal education and other training programs for the benefit of the Public Defender's Service, the United States Attorney's Office and the Criminal Justice Act Bar.